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TAFT BRINGS WARRING FACTIONS TOGETHER AT WHITE HOUSE BANQUET

Gathering Showed Capabilities of President as a Diplomat.

CLARK, PAYNE AND DALZELL ALL THERE

OTHER NOTED FIGURES IN THE RECENT HOUSE RULES FIGHT GATHERED ABOUT THE TABLE—IN DISCUSSION OF TARIFF BILL IN HOUSE YESTERDAY FORDNEY OF MICHIGAN, AND BYRD OF MISSISSIPPI ALMOST CAME TO BLOWS.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 26.—President Taft brought representatives of all the warring factions in the lower house of congress together tonight at the first formal dinner he and Mrs. Taft have given at the White House. The personnel of the guest list was something of a tribute to the president's capabilities as a diplomat and his ambition as a peacemaker. Representative Fitzgerald, of New York, a Democrat who broke away from the party in the notable fight on the house rules, Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, an "insurgent" leader among the Republicans in the house, and Representatives Payne, of New York and Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, stalwart members of the so-called Cannon "machine," were among the noted figures about the table in the state dining room.

ALMOST A FIGHT IN HOUSE BETWEEN MEMBERS.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 26.—Through a misunderstanding Representative Byrd of Mississippi, and Representative Fordney of Michigan, almost came to blows on the floor of the house today while the latter was making a speech on the tariff.
Mr. Byrd asked Mr. Fordney if it were not true that a combination existed among the retail dealers of Michigan to which Mr. Fordney's firm, which is operating in that state, was a party.
Mr. Byrd added that he knew whereof he spoke when he charged the existence of such a combination.
"The gentleman does not know a damned thing about it," shouted Mr. Fordney, irritably. Immediately Mr. Byrd made his way toward Mr. Fordney, but several Democratic members stopped him.
Mr. Fordney apologized to the house and said that if he had charged the gentleman from Mississippi he most humbly apologized. He added, however, that Mr. Byrd could not say that his firm was a member of a lumber trust.
Mr. Byrd then explained that it was not his intention to make such a charge, and the incident was closed.

JACK O'BRIEN KNOCKED OUT BY KETCHELL

Fast and Furious Fight Witnessed at National Athletic Club in Philadelphia.

By Associated Press.
New York, March 26.—In a fast and furious contest Stanley Ketchell, the middle-weight champion, defeated Jack O'Brien, of Philadelphia, at the National Athletic club tonight. In the fourth round O'Brien was knocked down three times and the last time was practically a clean knockout, for the timely clang of the gong found the Philadelphian in a hopeless state.

Campaign Waged to Abolish All Fools Day

By Associated Press.
New York, March 26.—A campaign for the abolishment of all fools' day and the establishment in its stead of a national "optimists' day" on April 1, has been started by the Optimists' club. A bill putting this design into effect has been sent to Senator Taylor, of Tennessee, for introduction in congress.
At the headquarters of the Optimists club here, a circular letter is being sent to governors of states, presidents of colleges and public men of various degrees, urging the new plan. "April 1," the letter says, "ought to be a day of good will. As at present observed, it is a relic of a barbaric age. The Optimists club plans to change its character so that every man, instead of playing practical jokes on his neighbors, will devote the day to doing some good."

MARINES GO BACK ON THE BATTLESHIPS.

By Associated Press.
Washington, March 26.—After consideration at a cabinet meeting today, President Taft ordered the restoration of the marines on board naval vessels upon the same footing as they were before the Roosevelt order relieving them of ship duty some months ago.

DANGEROUS TO HOLD TWO AGES OF DIAMONDS

Man Who Did So Against a Jack Full is Now in Hospital With Bullet Holes in Lungs.

By Associated Press.
Pittsburg, March 26.—A poker game at Clairton, a few miles from here, broke up about daybreak after a second ace of diamonds was discovered in the deck. Peter Marsh, who had the ace of diamonds, as well as an ace of hearts and an ace of clubs, is in the McKeesport hospital with two bullet holes in his lungs. It is said he cannot live. There were seven others in the room at the time this hand was held and six of them were hurt by the flying bullets and furniture. The man who is said to have done the shooting on having his jack full beaten, escaped.

REMARKABLE DEBATE OVER PROHIBITION

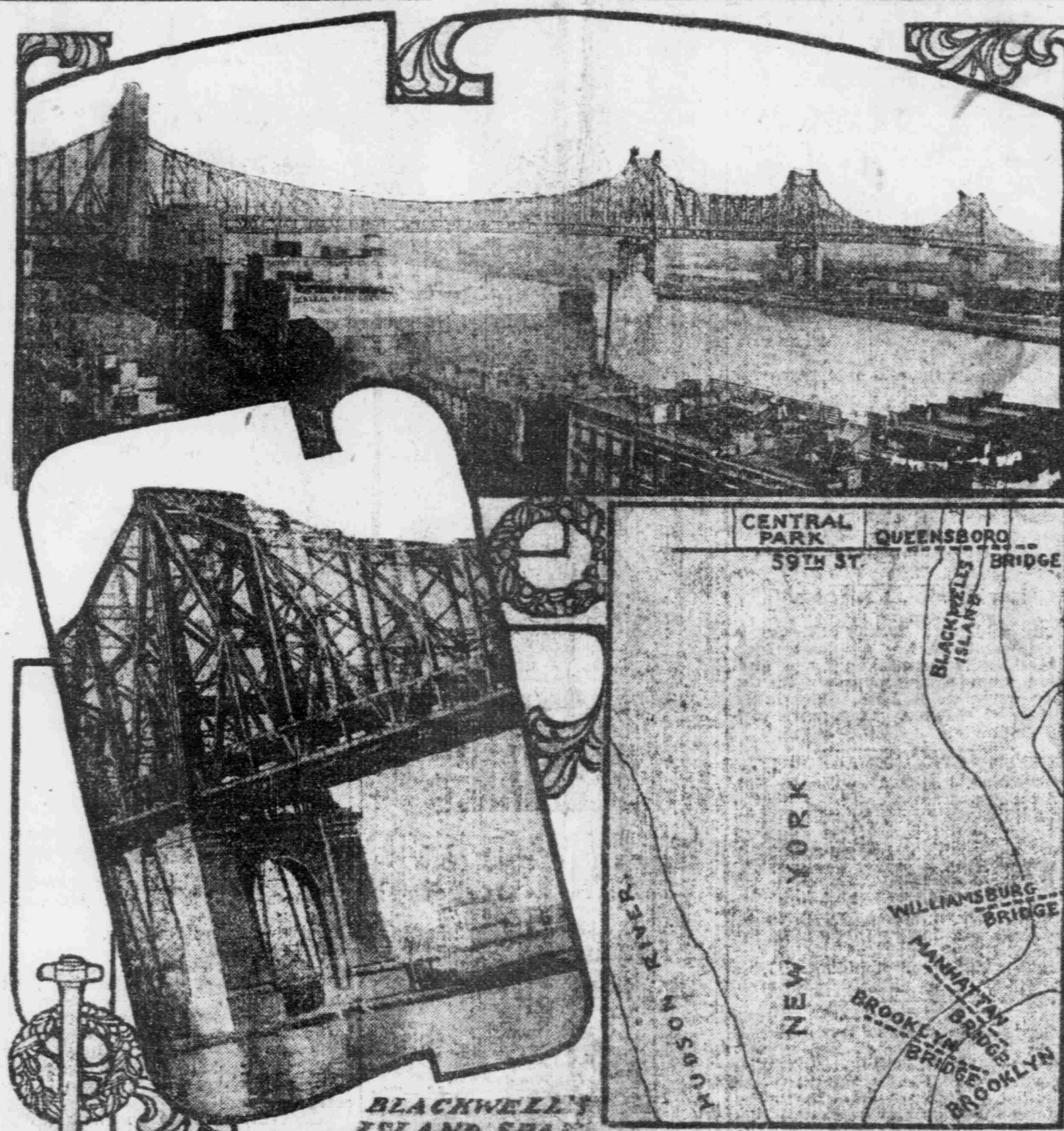
Mayor Rose and Dr. Samuel Dickie Discuss the Question From Various Viewpoints.

By Associated Press.
Milwaukee, Wis., March 26.—One of the most remarkable debates ever held was that of tonight on the question, "Resolved, that prohibition as applied to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating beverages is right," with Mayor Rose, of this city, defending the negative, and Dr. Samuel Dickie, president of Albion college, for the prohibitionists.
Dr. Dickie said in part: "Prohibition of the liquor traffic is right if considered only from the economic standpoint. The saloon is the foe of capital, but pre-eminently the enemy of labor. It paralyzes the arm of the working man, shortens his life, excludes him from many lucrative callings, decreases his power as a producer and throws into the labor market a vast army of debased, unintelligent laborers, who compete disastrously with the sober and industrious workmen." He also charged that eighty to ninety per cent. of crime is traceable to liquor.

In arguing prohibition is wrong, Mayor Rose treated the subject from three viewpoints, biblical, ethical and material. Treating the subject from the ethical side, he took the census figures of the government and records of cities and states to prove that prohibition increases crime, insanity, deaths, domestic infelicity, pauperism and stagnated business. Nation wide prohibition, he said, would mean the loss of \$215,000,000 revenue each year to the government, which would seriously affect the farmers and laborers of the country, because the brewers, maltsters and distillers consume \$104,000,000 of grain each year.

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NEW QUEENSBORO BRIDGE, THIRD LINK NOW UNITING NEW YORK AND BROOKLYN



New York, March 26.—The new structure cost \$20,000,000 and extends from Fifty-ninth street, Manhattan, across Blackwell's island. It is known as the Queensboro bridge. The Queensboro bridge is 3,724 feet 6 inches long. Its west span, from Blackwell's island to Fifty-ninth street, is the third longest bridge span in the world, being 1,182 feet in length. The clear height of the structure above the water of the East river is 135 feet, and it is eighty-six feet wide. It will be equipped with elevated and trolley tracks and will relieve the congestion of traffic on the other bridges by drawing heavily upon the travel between the district just below Central Park and Brooklyn.

French Steamship Co. Refuses C. Castro Passage to Venezuela

By Associated Press.
Bordeaux, March 26.—"If I am a criminal, why haven't my accusers the courage to allow me to return to Venezuela and defend myself?" exclaimed Ciriaco Castro this morning when an agent of the French Steamship company officially informed him that he must leave the steamer Gaudeloupe on which he sails today before the steamer reaches Venezuela. The former Venezuelan president was furious at the action taken by the steamship company. He entered an automobile and was driven to the offices of the company where he indulged in a tirade against Juan Vicente Gomez, president of the republic. "All I ask is the right to a fair trial," he declared. "I am prepared to accept the result. The refusal of Gomez to permit me to return to Venezuela is overwhelming proof that they have nothing against me."

FAILURE OF ALL REGULATIONS IN MISSOURI MAY PREVENT SENOR CASTRO FROM LANDING SHE WISHES OF CROWN PRINCE TO BE GRANTED

Railroads Will Put the Old 3-Cent Fare Into Effect in April and the Legislature Will Retaliate.
Great Britain is Making Inquiries Regarding the Destination of the Ex-President.
King Peter Will Allow Him to Renounce His Right of Succession to the Serbian Throne.

By Associated Press.
Jefferson City, Mo., March 26.—That there has been a failure of all the rate negotiations between state and railroad officials here during the past two days was apparent today after another fruitless conference at the executive mansion and a decision by the state senate not to interfere. It is considered probable that the roads will put the old 3 cent fares into effect early next month and that the legislature will retaliate by passing bills requiring the sale of mileage books at the rate of two cents a mile and giving the state railroad commissioners power to fix passenger rates.
By Associated Press.
Knoxville, Tenn., March 26.—Rev. M. C. Hart has resigned the pastorate of the Christian church at Cleveland, Tenn., to accept a call to the Christian church at Greenwood, Miss. He goes to his new field on April 1.
By Associated Press.
Chicago, March 26.—Oberlin M. Carter, former chief paymaster general, U. S. A., is seriously ill of pneumonia at the home of a brother in this city. Mr. Carter recently contracted a severe cold and symptoms of pneumonia developed soon after. Mr. Carter's trial several years ago on charges of misappropriating government funds in connection with the barber at Savannah, Ga., attracted national attention.
By Associated Press.
Belgrade, March 26.—As soon as Crown Prince George informs his father, King Peter, that it is his irrevocable wish to renounce his right of succession to the Serbian throne the king will assent and will ask parliament to sanction a proclamation declaring his second son, Alexander, to be heir to the throne.
Alexander spent some time at St. Petersburg as a student and as an intelligent and serious young man. The cabinet has issued a statement that the servant Kolakovitz, for whose death the crown prince was said to be responsible, asserted when he was brought to the hospital that his injury had been caused by falling down stairs in the dark.
The body showed no external injuries and consequently the authorities have no reason to pursue the matter further.
By Associated Press.
Richmond, Va., March 26.—William Brown, the fourth of the Powhatan county negro murderers and "fire bugs" argument in whose case was concluded yesterday evening, was today found guilty of murder in the first degree, the penalty for which is death in the electric chair. The grand jury today brought in a true bill against John Brown, a son of Williams, for murder.

MAN SUPPOSED TO BE M. JACOBSON OF PENSACOLA MURDERED AT FLOMATON

KIDNAPPED 25 YEARS AGO, LOCATES PARENTS

By Associated Press.
Chicago, March 26.—After having been kidnapped from Montreal 25 years ago, Mrs. Jason Warner was found by the South Chicago police last night. She said she had been stolen when she was five years old and was taken to a farm. Recently Mrs. Warner appealed to the Canadian police, who found her family in Montreal.

Body, With a Bullet in the Brain, Found Yesterday Morning.

BELIEVE ROBBERY WAS THE MOTIVE

JACOBSON LEFT PENSACOLA WEDNESDAY MORNING TO GO THROUGH TERRITORY, WHERE BODY WAS FOUND, WHICH ANSWERS HIS DESCRIPTION—S. SHEAR LEFT LAST NIGHT TO IDENTIFY BODY.

Killed by a bullet, which struck him just below the eye, in the manner in which a man supposed to be M. Jacobson, a peddler of this city, met death Wednesday night, near the railroad bridge at Flomaton, on the Alabama side, his body being found at that place early Thursday morning. Identity of the dead man is in doubt, as there was nothing found on the body containing his name. From a description of the remains furnished the Pensacola authorities it is believed to be the body of Jacobson, who left here Wednesday morning.

TO IDENTIFY REMAINS.
S. Shear, a shoemaker, left last night for Flomaton for the purpose of identifying the body. If it is Jacobson, the remains will be brought here for burial. Jacobson has resided in Pensacola for over a year and has a wife and one child living in this city. An inquest has been held at Flomaton, the verdict of the jury being that the deceased was murdered. A long distance telephone message from Flomaton late last night stated that the Alabama officers are working on a clue which may lead to the arrest of the person who did the killing. MURDERED FOR MONEY.
It is the general belief that the murder was committed for the purpose of robbery, as the man is hardly even known in that section. It is evident that some party saw the man was a peddler and believing he had money on his person murdered him for the purpose of robbery.

PRELIMINARY SURVEYS ARE TO BE MADE SOON

Government Engineers Will Commence Survey From St. George's Sound, Fla. to New Orleans.

By Associated Press.
New Orleans, March 26.—United States engineers are shortly to begin preliminary surveys of a proposed canal from St. George's Sound, Fla., to New Orleans and thence from the Mississippi river, to the Rio Grande. At a meeting of engineers in this section, held in conformity with orders of the secretary of war, and concluded late yesterday, the work of survey was divided up among the several officers. The route will be about 1,000 miles long, the trend of the proposed waterway to depend upon the reports to be made by the engineers after their initial surveys.

LAST DAY OF THE DAYTONA AUTO RACES

The Fiat Cars Win All Events, Including the Minneapolis Trophy, Insuring Possession of Latter.

By Associated Press.
Daytona, Fla., March 26.—The fourth and last day of the seventh annual Daytona beach tournament was enlivened by an exhibition baseball game, between picked teams from the Brooklyn baseball club. Daly's Colts beat the Regulars out 6 to 5. A Fiat Cyclone, driven by Depalmis, had a walkover for the Minneapolis trophy, thus insuring its permanent possession by the Fiat company. The Fiat also had a walkover in the mile invitation, as well as the eight-mile handicap. Time 8:45 net. In an attempt to beat Murphy's old record for one mile of 57 4/5 seconds, behind a locomotive, Elma Collins of Lynn, Mass., rode a mile on a bicycle behind a Fiat Cyclone in 58 3/5 seconds. The twenty-mile motor cycle event was won by Chappel of New York. Time 17:21.

NEGRO GUILTY OF MURDER.

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Mrs. Boyle Identified as Anna McDermott

By Associated Press.
Chicago, March 26.—That William McDermott, a retired member of the Chicago fire department, is the father of Mrs. James H. Boyle, who with her husband is charged with the kidnapping of Willie Whittle, was confirmed by the grief-stricken father today. Information from Cleveland indicating that the prisoner arrested there was none other than the girl who before her marriage was Anna McDermott, was brought to William McDermott and his son of the same name, who is a bank clerk, last night. Although the information seemed conclusive, neither father or son would definitely admit that the imprisoned woman was their daughter or sister. They admitted that the evidence seemed conclusive. Today, however, reporters presented every known detail of the identification as telegraphed from Cleveland and the old man broke down and declared that there could be no doubt that "Mrs. Boyle" could be none other than his daughter.